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"You mean my father, of course,"

she said coldly. "He is very well,

thank you. He was called to Ridge-

wood this morning. Otherwise he

would have met you himself."

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he said with a laugh that was extreme-
ly unpleasant to Della Allen.

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dially smiling.

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Della dryly as the new assistant went

up the steps with his suitcase in hand.

"I am very glad to see you," said Mrs.

Allen, holding out her hand.

The physician gripped it in a large

red paw.

"Pleased to meet you," he said rather

awkwardly, and Della stared as he

Dr. Burleson Arrives

A Very Natural Mis-
take

By CLARISSA MACKIE

Dr. Allen came into the living room,
drawing on his driving gloves. He
was an elderly man, hard driven by
an extensive country practice, which
he was about to share with an assist-
ant from the city.

"I am called over to Ridgewood,"
Molly," he said to his pretty little
wife. "There's to be a consultation
on the Travers case. Brown has tele-
phoned for me. I may not return until
late this evening."

"Oh, dear!" sighed Mrs. Allen. "That
is awkward—just when you are ex-
pecting Dr. Burleson. But he may not
come today."

"I'm expecting a telegram any mo-
ment. He said he would wire just be-
fore he left. You have a room for
him, dear?"

"Oh, yes, the chimney room. It's so
cozy on these October evenings."

Della Allen looked up from her sew-
ing with a mischievous smile, crin-
kling her lips.

"Mother is spelling him, dad, dear. She
has hung new curtains in the
chimney room, and she has picked out
all the prettiest worked slippers and
necktie holders and shaving paper



"THEY TELL ME YOU ARE FROM ALLEN'S,"
he said that your lady invalids shower
on you at Christmas and has adorned
his room with them. Now, mother,
you know your home."

"Here comes Peter with the car-
riage," announced Della from the win-
dow, and she flew to tuck his medi-
cine case into the buggy and receive his
farewell kiss.

It was an hour later that the expect-
ed telegram arrived.

Della smoothed out the message and
read scornfully:

Meet me at 9:15 train. Save best room
for me.

"Why—why, what a singular mes-
sage!" faltered Mrs. Allen, all her ex-
alted ideas of the new assistant crum-
bling to dust.

Della laughed. "Well, mother, of
course I will meet him. He must be
rather amusing, to say the least. We
won't worry father about Dr. Burle-
son's eccentricities. He will be dis-
appointed."

Della Allen, very straight and slim
in her scarlet coat and gray skirt, with
scarlet feather in her gray hat, drove
Daddy to the railroad station to meet
the 9:15 train.

Then a high pitched, rather disagree-
able whistle sounded at Della's elbow.

"They tell me you are from Allen's,"
said the voice sharply.

"Dr. Burleson?" she asked crisply.

"Yes."

Della turned the carriage, and Dr.

Burleson tossed a heavy suit case in
the back and climbed to a seat beside
her.

"They drove in silence for some time.

"How's the old man?" he asked after
awhile.

Della stiffened.

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"What a lovely bird it isn't a sparrow he
asks. 'What kinds ranch am I dis any-
way?'"
Mrs. Allen's face was pale and red
by turns.

"Is there anything else that Dr.
Burleson wishes?" she asked.

"Yes, Miss Molly. See he, 'Take
all these yere dingbats out of dis yere
room,' an', yez'm, he flang all dese
things at my maid." Peter brought his
hand from behind his back and dis-
played an orange colored shaving ball,
a barbed-necktie holder, a fancy
pencilcase and a pair of worsted slip-
pers.

"The man is intoxicated," said Della
from the doorway, and just then Dr.
Burleson's heavy step was heard in the
hall. In a moment he appeared, look-
ing at his watch.

"It's after 4, and I had a light
lunch," he said briskly. "Just have
cook fix up a steak for me. Some
onions with it would go well. And a
piece of apple pie, eh? I'll go out to the
stables and take a look at the horse."

He nodded toward them, clapped his
green hat on his head and left the
house, sauntering slowly toward the
barn.

Peter followed him, grumbling.
Mrs. Allen looked at Della and was
about to speak when there came a
ring at the doorbell.

Della answered it, looking singularly
handsome, for her cheeks were flushed
with anger and her eyes shining like
stars.

On the doorstep stood a tall, slightly
built young man, with eyeglasses
astiride his handsome nose. He was
immaculately dressed, and beside him
on the porch were a leather suit case
and a traveling bag.

"Dr. Allen?" he inquired, baring his
head.

"I am sorry, but my father is away.
He may not return until late this eve-
ning," returned Della. "Is there any-
thing?"

"I am Dr. Burleson," explained the
newcomer calmly.

"Dr. Burleson?" shrieked Della.
"Why—why, pardon me, but we have
been expecting Dr. Burleson. Oh,
there must be some mistake. Do come
in and see mother."

So Della hustled the astonished
young man into the living room and
introduced him to her mother.

"I knew there was some awful mis-
take," said Mrs. Allen, quietly as she
shook hands with him.

The new Dr. Burleson displayed a
letter from Dr. Allen, which fully iden-
tified him as the new assistant. Still,
there was the man at the barn whom
Peter reported as making a careful ex-
amination of Daddy and who was be-
having in a very rude manner.

"Suppose I go out and interview this
gentleman," suggested Dr. Burleson.

When Dr. Burleson returned from
the barn it was with a smiling request
for the first Dr. Burleson's baggage.

"He asks me to apologize for a mis-
take," said the young doctor.

"Now, do tell us all about it," said
Mrs. Allen after the new assistant
had returned for the second time, hav-
ing escorted Dr. Burleson to the top
of the hill and directed him to his
proper destination.

Dr. Burleson laughed pleasantly.
"It appears that your visitor has a
right to his professional title, but he
happens to be a veterinary surgeon.

"He seems to be treating an animal
belonging to Hosea Allen, proprietor
of some big boarding house. Perhaps
you know of the place?"

"Oh, yes—over near the bay," re-
sponded Mrs. Allen.

"He had never been here before and
was surprised to find the boarding
house conducted on such a small scale.
It seems he wired Hosea Allen to have
a room reserved for him, and at the
station I believed he asked if there
was a conveyance for Allen's, and they
evidently pointed out your daughter."

"But your telegram?"

"My telegram? Oh, I never sent any
after all."

So the new assistant had a very in-
formal introduction into his wife's
family. Oh, yes, he fell in love with
Della and married her, much to the
delight of Dr. Allen and his wife. And
Mrs. Allen often shudders and says:

"Just suppose the other Dr. Burle-
son had been the right one, Della!"

But Della only laughs and answers:
"Then you couldn't indulge in ding
bats, mother, dear!"

A HISTORIC BELL.

From the Guerriere to the Constitution,
Then to a Mill.

One would hardly expect to find an
object of historic interest in so pro-
saic a place as a New England mil-
linery, but such is the case at the
English peacocks, an object made
before the English parliament was
formed. Yet such an object is in daily
use in a factory at Saylesville, R. I. It
is a bell, whose history is a most in-
teresting one. Around the bell, about
four inches from the crown, is this su-
perscription: "Peter Seest Amsterdam,
Anno 1263, me fecit."

The date, together with other well
authenticated facts, leads to the belief
that the bell was long used in a con-
vent belfry in England and was taken
thereover for public use during the
reformation. But the connecting link
between its life in the old world and
its advent to America is the famous
naval battle between the Guerriere
and the Constitution.

The Guerriere, a helpless wreck, was
rolling in the trough of the sea, while
her brave but defeated commander,
Captain Decres of the royal navy, on
the deck of the American frigate, the
Constitution, was offering his sword to
the gallant Captain Hull.

The two officers had been friends in
time of peace, having often exchanged
hospitalities at the Mediterranean
ports, and now Hull's magnanimity
shone out.

"I'll not take your sword, Decres,"
said he. "Keep it."

In the meanwhile the boats of the
Constitution were busily engaged in
transporting the crew of the defeated
ship to the deck of the victor. A mid-
shipman reported to the first lieuten-
ant that the ship's bell had been car-
ried away by a grapseshot from the
Guerriere and that there was no way
of announcing the time to the ship's
company.

At that moment the Guerriere gave a
succession of heavy plunges, and the
cannon of a fine bell rang over the
water.

"Go get the Englishman's bell," said
the lieutenant to the midshipman.

"There will be no further use for it on
board that craft."

The Guerriere surrendered at 7
o'clock in the evening of Aug. 19, 1812,
and at 8 o'clock the same evening Pe-
ter Seest's bell in sonorous tones rang
out the hour on board "Old Ironsides."

With the lapse of time the bell, amid
the confusion and debris common to a
great naval battle, became misplaced,
lost its identity and was thrust care-
lessly to one side. It found its way to
the scrap heap, was afterward sold by
the United States and finally came to
rest in its present quarters—Boston
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UNDERWE

OAKS.

The Rev. C. C. Ellis, of Huntingdon, will lecture in the Green Tree church, Thursday evening, April 23rd. Subject: "The Biggest Word in the Dictionary." Mr. Ellis is an eloquent talker. This lecture will be given under the auspices of the young men's Bible class. There is no admission, but a silver offering will be taken, and as the smallest coins in our monetary system is a penny and a nickel it would not be out of place to say there is no silver in these coins, and a penny or a nickel do not come under the head of a silver offering.

Thursday, May 7th, the Ursinus Glee Club will give an entertainment in the Green Tree church. Their coming here has been looked forward to with the greatest of interest.

The adult Bible class was billed to give a banquet Tuesday evening, April 21st, but the president's family is quarantined for measles, and as it would not half go without his presence, and brotherly love should always respect the president, it was postponed until Mr. John Umstead is able to attend. True charity and brotherly love knows no evil and always tends for good.

As we are always anxious for news and like to hear just where our friends are, we send this little belated paragraph: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brey, of Trooper, Mr. and Mrs. John Strauss, of Fairview, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Albrecht, of Eagleview, spent Easter Sunday with Milton Struss and family of Oaks.

Mr. John Brunner has a pair of fine horses.

The third annual Sunday school and missionary meeting of the Southeastern district of Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York was held in the Geiger Memorial church, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Mrs. Gotwals, wife of Dr. Gotwals, is on a visit to friends in Clymer, Pa., and so the doctor is keeping bachelor's hall.

Mrs. Janeway and family have moved out of the city for the summer months and occupy the mansion on the hill, Lion Janeway, of Battery C, N. G. P. of Phoenixville, says of the war, in Mexico, if it should happen, will be guerrilla fighting. Hunting the Greasers among the Chapparels in Mexico will be a big job. Hope it won't come to that.

The fremen have a waffle and chicken supper listed for Saturday night, May 2nd.

The grammar school boys of the Green Tree school journeyed to Port Providence to play a game of baseball with the Port Providence school team, Saturday. Well, the score was tie, as the keeper of the score got all tied up, and the game was called a tie.

Dandelions for greens is the order of the day.

We have had some of the finest kind of weather, and Sunday the thermometer was way up to that point where you think you ought to shuck yourself of heavy underwear, but don't you do it. The first of May, when you think you ought a Maying go, is sometimes cold enough to freeze ice.

David Leister, of Audubon, died early Sunday morning of pneumonia.

GARDENS.

Plant a garden. Some of the world's greatest thinkers have found diversion and inspiration in their gardens. If your control of agricultural space is limited to a twenty-foot back yard do not be discouraged. It is even possible to transform an unsightly dirt roof into a garden. The possibilities of exercise and profit to be derived from the cultivation of even a small plot, are greater than one might think.

The use of the spade, the hoe and the rake prove the equivalent of many of the gymnastic exercises which everybody concedes to be beneficial and few people take. In addition to the advantage of exercise in the open air, it is a keen satisfaction to the vast majority of men and women to see things that they have cultivated grow and mature.

The practical benefits derived from the tillage of a little garden are usually exceeded by the aesthetic but in the hurry-burry of every day life perhaps we weigh as of too little importance our opportunities for the cultivation and appreciation of the beautiful. It is difficult to tell how far reaching may be the effect of some slight effort at beautification.

Years ago a boy station agent of a railroad traversing the plains of the Canadian North West sent back home for a few packages of flower seed and with such time as he could spare transformed the surroundings of his mean little one-room station, Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the road was making a tour of inspection and when he reached this little garden spot in the then uncultivated wastes, he asked to see the boy and learned from him the story of his garden. As a result the next year all agents of this road were furnished with packages of seeds and instructions to plant flowers around every station and the custom then began has ever since continued.

The cultivation of twenty feet or more of back yard may not result in anything of the sort, but it should prove a healthful, restful and profitable diversion after the labors of the day for the busy man or woman.

Dr. Dixon, State Commissioner of Health.

HIGHEST MOUNTAINS IN MONTANA.

There are probably six named peaks in Montana which have elevations exceeding 12,000 feet and several unnamed peaks with altitudes greater than that height, according to the United States Geological Survey. These peaks are in Carbon county, in the southern portion of the State, and are included in the Bearrooth National Forest.

The highest of these is Granite Peak with an altitude of 12,500 feet. The next highest are Mt. Wood, 12,750 feet; Cold Mountain, 12,810 feet; Mt. Villa, 12,800 feet; Mt. Hague, 12,100 feet; and Snoback Mountain, 12,000 feet.

ARCOLA.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Stettler entertained Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stettler and family, of Reading, over Saturday and Sunday, Mr. Foot and Mr. Morris, of Philadelphia, on Sunday, and Mr. Charles Stettler, of Sanatoga, on Monday.

Miss Alice Dewane spent several days visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Anna O'Donnell, of Newtown, is visiting Miss Eva Ashenfelter.

Mrs. William Henderson and son, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hartley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wesley Poley, of Trappe, spent Sunday with I. P. Williams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ashenfelter, of Chicago are spending several days at Mr. Ashenfelter's home.

Mr. Edwin L. Miller, of Schwenksville, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller, on Sunday.

YERKES.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Landes, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dannehower, and Miss Susie Detwiler, autored to North Wales Sunday afternoon.

Some one ran down C. A. Crist's pet dog on Monday. Autos are bad things for dogs to tackle.

John G. Fetterolf is on the sick list.

Christ. Gotwals of Maryland and Webster Reaver of Mont Clare called on John G. Detwiler on Sunday afternoon.

A. D. Gotwals and C. A. Crist will work John G. Fetterolf's farm on shares.

Irvin C. Williams, Esq., of Royersford, was in Yerkes on Monday.

There is a problem that puzzles our correspondent. As it is generally supposed when a man gets the boose habit, so confirmed that he is never sober unless it is when he first wakes up in the morning, gets temperate when he is out for an office. Why not get every guzzler to run for office and save all this fuss about license or no license?

Harry Detwiler and family, Andrew Mack and wife, and E. H. Detwiler, wife and daughter, spent Sunday at the Pines.

W. W. Harley has sold reversible sulky plows to Geo. Dannehower, Andrew Ashenfelter and Plush Bros.

Landes Brothers are doing a rushing business on seed potatoes. They have nice stock.

J. G. Detwiler is unloading fertilizer at Yerkes this week.

Mary Detwiler and daughter Susie May spent Saturday in Norristown.

IRONBRIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Rahn, of Logan, Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hunsicker. Mrs. A. D. Hunsicker is spending the week at the same place.

The electric company is busy planting poles through here on way to Schwenksville.

Messrs. J. H. Anders and Booz was on a business trip to Green Lane, Monday.

Mrs. Elmer Hunsicker and children, of Chicago, spent Tuesday at M. T. Hunsicker's.

Miss Florence H. Hunsicker spent the week end at Atlantic City.

M. T. Hunsicker has purchased a five-passenger Overland automobile.

Dr. R. C. Rosenberger and wife spent Sunday at their bungalow.

George Rosenberger is making some repairs to his barn.

Mr. Wilmer Tyson had an attack of tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bean and family, of Skippack township, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Ruth and family.

Mrs. George Ruth and children spent Saturday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ruth, of near Trappe.

Mrs. Carl Lorenz, who fell down a stairway in her home recently, sustaining a slight fracture of the skull, will be removed to the German Hospital, Philadelphia.

Henry and Minnie Meyer spent Saturday and Sunday in Royersford.

Mrs. Joshua Steinmetz, of Royersford is spending the week with Harvey Meyer's.

Mr. Edward Emert, of Allentown, was in the village, Monday.

Warren Tyson and wife and mother-in-law, of Line Lexington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Tyson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Silcott and daughter is spending a few days with Mrs. Silcott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geisinger of Limerick.

Production Figures at Ford Factory Going Up.

Going up. Production figures at the Ford factory at Highland Park, Mich., are shattering all records. Eleven hundred and more cars a day for twenty-six consecutive working days was the record in March. When the last car had passed out the factory's doors on March 31st, there had been twenty-eight thousand, seven hundred and twelve Fords built and shipped during this month of thirty-one days of which five were Sundays. Those who have been following motor car production have become accustomed to think of the Highland Park factory as the place where more than one thousand complete automobiles are turned out every day. These will now have to accustom themselves to the new slogan of "More than eleven hundred Fords a day." When these figures are being digested it should be kept in mind that every car as soon as built, is shipped out on wheels every day. There is no storage room at the factory for there isn't any needed. The Ford factory, big as it is, has its hands more than full to build enough cars to supply the demand. The fact is, that despite the unprecedented production during March, the close of the month saw the factory still many thousands of cars behind the sales department. An idea of the demand for Fords may be obtained when it is stated that on a single day early in April, the factory received orders for more than twelve-thousand cars.

BLACK ROCK AND VICINITY.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Landes, of Souderton, spent several days last week in this vicinity.

Mr. Supplee and Mrs. Dyer and daughter, of Chester county, spent Sunday at Midway farm.

Miss Anna Bechtel returned home after spending some time in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. David H. Jones spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. David Tyson of Trappe.

Mr. and Mrs. John Longacre spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Puhl.

Miss Barbara Showalter is able to be down stairs.

EVANSBURG.

Mrs. Mary Chaplin took the examination for fourth class postoffice at Norristown, on Saturday.

Mrs. A. C. Keyser had charge of the office during Mrs. Chaplin's absence.

Mr. Edward Lane was tendered a surprise party on Saturday evening by a number of his Collegeville friends.

Howard Miller is making some improvements to his house, now occupied by William Warner.

The property recently purchased by Mrs. James Miller of the Margaret Casselberry estate has been conveyed to Mrs. Mary Chaplin, who is having considerable repairing done. David Anderson is doing the carpenter work, and H. E. Custer is painting the house.

Miss Lillian Anderson spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Walter Zellers and sister visited Mrs. M. C. Weber on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Overdorf and daughter spent Saturday and Sunday at Frank Swartz's.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomas visited their sons at Wayne, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Uler, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Jesse Warner, Sr. on Sunday.

The County Commissioners are having repairs made to the Germantown pipe between Fairview and Perkiomen Bridge. Mr. Willauer, of Pottstown is doing the work.

Affirmed by Superior Court.

The Superior Court has affirmed the Montgomery county court in its rulings in the action of Knasiak vs. Rambo. The plaintiff in this action was an Upper Merion resident whose daughter lost the sight of an eye by being struck by a bullet, which was fired from a rifle in the hands of Sidney Rambo, of Swedeland. The Knasiak girl was picking clover for rabbits, she testified. The Knasiaks claimed that the accident was due to Rambo's recklessness. Rambo's defense was that apple thieves had been troublesome and he fired the rifle with the idea of frightening the supposed fruit thieves; that the weapon was aimed toward a high dirt bank, and if the accident was caused by the bullet from his weapon it was due to the bullet rebounding, or from a portion of stone which the bullet struck. A verdict of \$552 was rendered by the jury, in favor of the plaintiff. Rambo was not satisfied, and appealed to the Superior Court after the local court refused to set aside the finding of the jury.

After Forty-Five Years Brothers Meet.

After being separated for forty-five years, William F. Johnson, tin-smith, whose place of business is at No. 330 East Main Street, Norristown, met his brother, Richard Johnson, of Hot Springs, Arkansas, on Saturday. For many years William was positive that his brother was dead. He was very much surprised on Saturday afternoon when a stranger walked into his shop on East Main street carrying a suit case and asked for a position. "I make it a rule never to employ," said the tin-smith. "Well I will take a chance and talk to you for a little while," said the brother from the West. After the brothers had conversed for about ten minutes, William Johnson said: "Now, I recognize you. You are my brother Richard." Then the two men shook hands and wept like children. Richard then explained that he had left Norristown in October, 1839, a few months after the death of his mother.

Warfare against the apple-tree borer is a bit more tedious than battling some other orchard pests, but this insect can be subdued by constant attention of the proper kind, just as any other pest may be fought successfully. In the following letter to a York county fruit-grower, State Economic Zoologist Surface demonstrated in his own orchards:

"The first thing is to destroy the borers by injecting into each hole a small jet of the liquid known as bisulfide of carbon. After injecting the liquid close to each hole with mud to retain the fumes. There is no need of digging in the wood or injuring the tree by cutting. Keep fire away from this liquid as the fumes are explosive.

"The next step is to prevent other borers from entering. This is done by painting the trunk of the tree with pure white lead and raw linseed oil, or the boiled linseed oil solution containing some sediment. The latter must be applied more frequently than the former. One solution in a year is sufficient, but the application of a wash of the apple, pear and quince, by the first of June, and if the lime-sulfur wash is used it should be repeated about the first of each of the following three months. It is not at all expensive to apply either of these preventives.

"Please remember that a further examination of the trees to kill the borers must be made at a later time, and also next spring, because these little grubs live in the trees two years, and you may not be able to get all of them the first time you treat them. I apply the lime-sulfur solution about a year, and a very large nozzle opening, and thus can cover a great many trunks in an hour."

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SOLID GRANITE.

The inquisitive traveler kept poking his head out of the window of the car to the great annoyance of the conductor who several times stopped to warn him against the danger. At length he tapped the careless one on the shoulder and said: "Pardon me, but this time I must insist you withdraw your head."

Incidentally the traveler spoke back over his shoulder without complying with the request:

"Oh," said the conductor, nettled, "we are coming to a bridge, and I don't want any of the girders damaged by your head."

And then the head came in.—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the members of the Perkiomen Valley Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Montgomery county, will be held at the Hotel Limerick, Collegeville, on Monday, May 19th, 1914, at 1:30 p. m. Thirteen managers will be elected to serve the ensuing year. A. D. FETTEROLF, Secretary.

WANTED.—Five men to dig trenches. Apply to G. F. CLAMER, Collegeville, Pa.

WANTED.—Girl to do housework. Apply at THIS OFFICE.

WANTED.—A single man to work on a farm. Good wages to right party. Apply to R. F. D. 4, Pottstown, Pa.

STABLE TO LEASE.—The large, well-lighted, well-ventilated stable will be leased on reasonable terms to the right party. Apply to W. M. STRENGER, Proprietor, Collegeville Hotel.

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FOR SALE.—New cook stove, full nickel-plated, one baker, a bargain, if sold quick. Apply to J. P. WILLIAMS, Arcola.

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FOR ASSEMBLY (Third Legislative District)

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